



ALL AGES JUST DOTE  
on our deliciously flavored ice  
creams. We have all varieties  
of frozen delicacies. Rich, luscious,  
cooling, perfectly frozen  
creams—the joy of the height-  
ened summer, the delight of the  
festive winter—the all the year  
around de luxe!

**De Luxe Candy Co.**  
ALMA, MICHIGAN

Strictly Cash No Delivery  
Open Evenings

## Miller Bros. AND Eastern Market

### Friday-Saturday Cash Specials

Lily White per sack **\$1.53**  
Marquis per sack **\$1.47**  
White Satin per sack **\$1.35**

Shredded Wheat, per pkg. **12c**

Extra Fancy Seeded Raisins  
per lb. **12c**

100 boxes Bob White Soap,  
10 bars for **49c**

Large Loaf Bread **10c**  
(Why pay 12c)

Swift's Cleanser, 6 cans for **25c**

Matches (full 500 count) per box **5c**

### Big Coffee Special

Fine Santos Coffee, Chase & Sanborn, lb. **21c**  
OTHERS ASK 30c

Circle Blend, Chase & Sanborn, lb. **27c**  
OTHERS ASK 35c

Morton House Special, the finest  
in the land, lb. **35c**  
OTHERS ASK 40c

**We Guarantee to Save You Money**



**F. R. WILLET**  
BASKET GROCERY  
205 W. SUPERIOR ST.

Marquis Flour,  
per sack **\$1.49**

Electric Flour,  
per sack **\$1.39**

Velvet Flour,  
per sack **\$1.62**

6 bars Mascot  
Soap **25c**

National Biscuit  
Crackers, lb. **14c**

2 quarts Cranberries  
for **25c**

Food of Wheat,  
per pkg. **23c**

Lighthouse Mince  
Meat, per pkg. **10c**

5 lbs. Blue Hose Rice, **48c**  
for

Campbell Tomato  
Soup, per can **21c**

St. Louis Creamery  
Butter, per lb. **48c**

CASH AND  
CARRY

**WILLET**  
SELLS  
FOR LESS

NO  
DELIVERY

**Advertise Your Auction**

**Sales in The Alma Record.**

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Set your watch by Losey's clock.

Chas. Ray, in "Sudden Jim," Idle-

hour, Saturday.—Adv.

You will find the best bread in

Butter Cup wrappers. 02-11

Fatty Arbuckle, in "Oh, Doctor,"

Idlehour, Wednesday.—Adv.

Idlehour, Sunday—Billie Burke, in

"The Mysterious Miss Terry."—Adv.

Dr. T. J. Carney of this city is en-

tertaining his brother, Dr. Carney, of

Durand, this week.

Mrs. J. Frank Jackson and Mrs. L.

B. Kehn were Saginaw visitors the

fore part of the week.

Mrs. A. B. Scattergood was called

to Reading Sunday by the serious ill-

ness of her brother, Dr. Charles Nib-

lack.

C. F. Warden of the Alma Develop-

ment Company, Limited, was in Chi-

cago on business the fore part of the

week.

The Civic Improvement league will

meet Friday afternoon, November 2,

with Mrs. C. B. Gardner, 430 State

street.

Mrs. J. W. Niblack left yesterday

morning for Hastings, where she will

visit with relatives for a couple of

weeks.

Charlie Chaplin and Marie Dressler

in "Tillie's Punctured Romance," five

reels, Genesta theater, Sunday 11-11.

Archib Brown of Detroit, a former

resident of this city, attended the

bean growers' convention held here

yesterday.

The Presbyterian, Eastern, so-

ciety will meet with Mrs. C. B. Gar-

dner, 430 State street, Tuesday after-

noon, November 6.

Burton J. Gou, who recently went

to northern Michigan and purchased

215 yearling sheep has sold all ex-

cepting 55 of them for \$17 each.

When you buy a home from us you

are given your deed at once. You are

owner in every sense of the word.

Alma Development Co., Limited.—

Adv.

Mrs. H. Brown and daughter, Mrs.

P. P. Wilkins, of Lansing, are guests

at the home of the former's son, Le

Roy Brown, on Gratiot avenue, this

week.

Lewis Boyer, a prominent farmer

living near Elwell, was taken to De-

troit a week ago for an operation.

He passed away in that city Tuesday

morning and the body was brought

to Alma.

Karl R. Adams, former assistant

cashier at the Alma State Savings

bank, assumed his new position as

cashier yesterday morning, succe-

eding H. C. Moore, who resigned to

take a position in Flint.

Mrs. C. L. Wood was elected as a

delegate to the National W. C. T. U.

convention to be held in Washington,

D. C., by the district convention which

recently met in Clare. The national

convention will be held during De-

cember.

The Frances Willard union will

meet with Mrs. E. M. Wood, 117 East

Third street, Nov. 7, at 2:30 p. m. The

meeting will be led by Mrs. S. A.

Villet, the topic being "Purity and

Mothers." Roll call, "Sentence

Prayers."

The Hon. Francis O. Lindquist of

Grand Rapids, president of the Fran-

cis O. Lindquist company of that city,

was in Alma over the week-end on

business connected with the new store

which this company will open in Alma

within the next couple of weeks.

A week from this Saturday the un-

defeated Alma college team will play

the traditional rival, Olivet college,

at Olivet. Alma has never yet won

from Olivet on her own field and the

team is out to make another new rec-

ord this year by pulling off this stunt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Rhodes gave a

farewell reception at their home on

North State street Tuesday evening

in honor of Mr. Hira C. Moore, who

left Wednesday for Flint. A large

number of guests were present at the

affair, which was a most enjoyable

one.

I have over thirty of the new fund

pledge cards which were signed at the

different churches in June. I have

been informed the pledges must be

collected. The amount is small in-

dividually, but if all collected will make

quite an item. Will you please call

and settle with the secretary, Mrs. J.

sometime before her mother's ill-

ness. W. A. Borton has secured a permit

from the city council to build an out-

side stairway to the Alma garage

building on East Superior street,

using a portion of the alley to the

east of the building, which is owned

by the city. It is understood that Mr.

Borton will vacate this portion of the

alley at any time that he is asked in

writing to do so.

The postoffice calls attention to the

fact that the parcel post packages

going to the Sammies in France must

not weigh over seven pounds, as the

French railways will not carry heav-

ier parcels. It had previously been

announced that 20-pound packages

could be carried, but this proved to

be an error on the part of the depart-

ment. Customs declarations are not

needed for packages to the American

expeditionary forces in France.

### HORSE KILLED.

Peculiar Accident Results in Death of  
Horse on Main Street.

A valuable horse, owned by E. J.

Ross, was killed Tuesday noon in front

of Ellison's grocery, following a pe-

culiar accident, caused by a runaway.

It seems that Mr. Ross had tied his

horse to one of the iron hitching posts

in front of Ellison's, and had gone

down the street. Shortly thereafter a

runaway took place, the team running

down State street, where the horse

belonging to Mr. Ross was tied. The

runaway hit the rig and the horse,

and the horse evidently jumped and

came down on the iron hitching post,

which went clear through the animal.

It was injured so badly that it was

immediately killed, and a few minutes

after the body of the horse was re-

moved.

Idlehour, Sunday—Billie Burke, in

"The Mysterious Miss Terry."—Adv.

Chas. Ray, in "Sudden Jim," Idle-

hour, Saturday.—Adv.

### ANOTHER SHIPMENT.

Red Cross Here Starts Another Box  
for the Front.

The Alma branch of the Gratiot

County Red Cross made a second

shipment on Monday of this week,

which will go a long way towards

filling the quota which was assigned

to Alma by the Red Cross.

The shipment sent Monday to Chi-

cago to the headquarters there con-

sisted of 26 sweaters, 18 mufflers, one

dozen pair of wristlets and one hel-

met. The previous shipment con-

tained 11 sweaters, 21 mufflers and

one dozen wristlets.

The work which was assigned to

the Alma branch of the Gratiot Coun-

ty Red Cross consists in furnishing 50

sweaters, 50 mufflers, 50 wristlets

and 50 pairs of socks.

The local ladies are in hopes of be-

ing able to make another shipment in

two weeks, which will mean that many

will turn out for the meetings at the

Masonic home each Wednesday after-

noon to aid in the work. It is said

that among the articles most needed

at the present time are sweaters.

### EXCUSE FARMERS.

Judge Searl Will Excuse Farmers  
From Jury if They Ask Him.

Notice has been received from

Judge Kelly S. Searl to the effect that

farmers who write or call him up may

be excused from jury duty this term

of court, and so have the time for

work on their farms. All others will

be asked to be on hand for jury ser-

vice Monday.

The notice follows:

Alma Record:

You are authorized to announce that

any farmers desiring to be excused

from jury duty next week may secure

such excuse by writing or phoning us.

All others should report next Monday.

Yours,  
KELLY S. SEARL,  
Circuit Judge.

### AUCTIONS.

F. J. Graham.

F. J. Graham will sell at public

auction at his farm, four miles west

and one-half mile south of Sunday,

on Tuesday, November 6, commencing at

10 a. m. (local time), four head of

horses, sixteen head of cattle, ten

sheats, his farm implements and ma-

chinery, and a quantity of feed and

potatoes.

All sums under \$5 cash, and all

sums over that amount one year's

time on good paper at 7 per cent.

J. D. Helman, Auctioneer.

John A. Smith.

On Thursday, November 8, John A.

Smith will sell at public auction at

the farm known as the Old Campbell

farm, located six miles north of Alma,